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TAGS: PFOR, PGOV, UK, MZ

SUBJECT: MOZAMBIQUE: BRITISH CONTACTS

REF: LONDON 6424

1. EMBOFF WAS INFORMED BY FCO OFFICIAL ON APRIL 29 THAT MINISTER BRITISH GOVERNMENT HAS PROPOSED SENDING TO CALL ON FRELIMO LEADERS ITS MINISTER OF OVERSEAS DEVELOPMENT, JUDITH HART. BECAUSE OF HER PREVIOUS ASSOCIATION WITH PRIVATE GROUPS THAT ASSISTED FRELIMO DURING INDEPENDENCE STRUGGLE AND BECAUSE SHE HAS KNOWN SOME FRELIMO LEADERS FOR SEVERAL YEARS, BRITISH FEEL SHE SHOULD HAVE PARTICULARLY ATTRACTIVE CREDENTIALS. BRITISH STILL HAVING PROBLEM FINDING MUTUALLY AGREEABLE DATE FOR VISIT AND LATEST DATE SUGGESTED, BUT NOT YET AGREED TO, WAS COMING WEEKEND.

2. WITH REFERENCE TO CALLAGHAN LETTER TO MACHEL (LOURENCO MARQUES 421), SAME OFFICIAL SAID MESSAGE WAS FRIENDLY IN TONE AND SIMPLY POINTED OUT THAT BRITISH GOVERNMENT WISHED TO OPEN COMMUNICATIONS WITH FRELIMO LEADERS AND DESIGNATED BRITISH HIGH COMMISSIONER TO DAR AS CALLAGHAN'S CHANNEL FOR THIS PURPOSE. SOURCE ALSO NOTED THAT IN THEIR COMMUNICATIONS, BRITISH HAVE ATTEMPTED TO WRITE IN FRIENDLY, PERSONAL STYLE, BUT RESPONSES

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FROM FRELIMO ARE ALWAYS "VERY PROTOCLAIRE."

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